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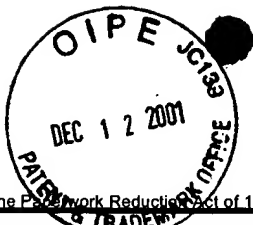
TRANSMITTAL FORM <i>(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)</i>	Application Number	09/853,753	
	Filing Date	May 14, 2000	
	First Named Inventor	N. Torben Bech-Hansen	
	Group Art Unit	1645	
	Examiner Name	not assigned	
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103 18	203 9	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	202 42	Independent claims in excess of 3
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109 84	209 42	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	210 9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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147 2,520	147 2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
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116 400	216 200	Extension for reply within second month	
117 920	217 460	Extension for reply within third month	460.00
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128 1,960	228 980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
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120 320	220 160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121 280	221 140	Request for oral hearing	
138 1,510	138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140 110	240 55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141 1,280	241 640	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142 1,280	242 640	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143 460	243 230	Design issue fee	
144 620	244 310	Plant issue fee	
122 130	122 130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123 50	123 50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
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146 740	246 370	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
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NOTICE OF INCOMPLETE REPLY (NONPROVISIONAL)

Filing Date Granted

The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office has received your reply on 10/11/2001 to the Notice to File Missing Parts (Notice) mailed 07/12/2001 and it has been entered into the nonprovisional application. The reply, however, does not include the following items required in the Notice.

The period of reply remains as set forth in the Notice. You may, however, obtain EXTENSIONS OF TIME under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 (a) accompanied by the appropriate fee (37 CFR 1.17(a)).

A complete reply must be timely filed to prevent ABANDONMENT of the above-identified application.

- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.

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PATENT

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Application No.: 09/853,753
Filing Date: May 14, 2000
Inventor (first named): N. Torben Bech-Hansen
Group Art Unit: 1645
Examiner Name: not assigned
Attorney Docket No.: 45499.2

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING
PARTS OF APPLICATION**

Applicant responds to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated July 12, 2001 in reference to the above application. Enclosed is a Petition requesting a three-month extension of time which extends the period for reply to December 12, 2001. Applicant encloses herewith the following:

1. A Sequence Listing in written format;
2. A Sequence Listing in computer readable format;
3. A statement that the information recorded in computer readable format is identical to the written sequence listing and an amendment directing its entry into the application;
4. Petition for 3 month extension of time;
5. Fee Calculation Sheet with a copy for accounting purposes;
6. Copy of Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional).



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Dated: December 6, 2001

Respectfully submitted,
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- ATTACHMENTS:
1. Sequence Listing in written format;
 2. Sequence Listing in Computer Readable Format;
 3. Statement;
 4. Fee Transmittal Form and copy of accounting purposes;
 5. Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional).



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PATENT

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Application No.: 09/853,753
Filing Date: May 14, 2000
Inventor (first named): N. Torben Bech-Hansen
Group Art Unit: 1645
Examiner Name: not assigned
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**SUBMISSION OF SEQUENCE LISTING
AND AMENDMENT**

Enclosed is the sequence listing relating to the above application in written and computer readable format. Please amend the application to enter the sequence listing into the specification.

I hereby state that the information recorded in computer readable format is identical to the written sequence listing.

Dated: December 6, 2001

Respectfully submitted,

By:

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